

RESOLVED BLESSING

January 27, 2019

Resolved • Message 4

PRAY • LUKE 9:51 • SKYDIVER!

RESOLVED: IN MY LIFE, GOD COMES FIRST • RESOLVED: GOD IS CREATING ME. • GOD'S FAMILY IS MY FAMILY

RESOLVED: I will be a **BLESSING**.ILL: I SPEND MY TIME TRYING TO __GET__ BLESSINGS / ILL: I ALWAYS WANT TO PASS THE CAR IN FRONT
GP: WHAT IF YOU COULD HAVE AN INFINITE AMOUNT OF BLESSING?If I had **INFINITE** blessings, I could easily **BLESS**.

ILL: PEZ, PERFECTLY SHAREABLE, BUT I HATE SHARING PEZ

INFINITE BLESSING

JOHN 4:1-42

ONE OF MY FAVORITE STORIES, BUT IT BUGS ME A LOT

Jesus promises an **INFINITE BLESSING**.

WALKTHROUGH UNTIL GET HUSBAND... THAT BOTHERS ME... WHY DOES JESUS ASK FOR THAT? • 17-18

"Go get your husband."

Standard Interpretation:

Jesus is showing her **LOVE** in spite of her **SIN**.

BUT SHE IS LIKELY THE VICTIM, THE STORY NEVER MENTIONS LOVE, SIN, OR FORGIVENESS.

4:15 • SELFISH? (GO GET SOMEONE ELSE)

Alternative Interpretation:

She couldn't receive the living water

BY HERSELF, FOR HERSELF.

4:14 IT HAS TO LEAVE YOU. •• USUALLY END THE STORY, BUT WE KEEP GOING — 31-38

"I have food you don't know."

All Jesus did was **TELL SOMEONE** about **JESUS**.

FINISH 39-42

AT THE BEGINNING, JESUS IS TIRED, DISCIPLES ARE DISCOURAGED, WOMAN IS ASHAMED / THEN REFRESHED!

Everyone who is **REFRESHED** was refreshed by tellingsomeone else **ABOUT JESUS**.

PROVERBS 11:25

TAKE IT HOMETo be **BLESSED**, I need to be a **BLESSING**.*I have the Living Water in me. Infinite refreshment is mine in Christ, and I unlock it in me when I give it to others. I eagerly risk embarrassment to offer others the Living Water of Jesus. Matt 28:19-20 (Prov 11:25 :: John 4:1-41 :: Matt 10:42)***RESOLVED BLESSING**

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